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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SANSOM WILLIAM B			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MID AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES INC [MAA]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	11/30/2006	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		;	5. If Amendment, Date Orig Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
6584 POPLA AVENUE,Â		00		(Check	all applicable))	Thea(Monail Day) Teal)			
	(Street)			_X_ Director 10% Owne Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting			
MEMPHIS,Â	TNÂ 38	138-					Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Securi (Instr. 4)	ty		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*			
Reminder: Report			ach class of securities benefic	ially S	EC 1473 (7-02	2)				
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	Date Exer	cisable and	3. Title and Amount of		4.	5.	Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration D	Date	Securities Underlying		Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security		or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
			(Instr. 4)	Instr. 4) Price of		Derivative	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative	Security:	
					•	Direct (D)	
						or Indirect	
				Shares		of maneet	

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SANSOM WILLIAM B

6584 POPLAR AVENUE
SUITE 300

MEMPHIS, TNÂ 38138-

Signatures

Kathy Rajadurai 11/30/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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